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## SENATE HONORS WILLIAM E. CROW | BIG COKE MEETING IS IN PROGRESS

### WILLIAM E. CROW IS HONORED BEFORE LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS.

Fayette County Man Elected President Pro Tem. of the Senate Succeeding A. E. Sisson of Erie.

#### LITTLE BUSINESS ON TODAY

Among Bills Passed Last Night Was \$300,000 Appropriation for Improvement of National Pike—Adjournment Came Today.



W. E. Crow.

#### BERNARD McGRAW BAD.

So He Goes to Jail for Surrty of the Peace

Bernard McGraw of Logan's Crossing Dunbar township, was given a hearing last evening before Squic P. M. Butterman of the West Side and committed to jail on a charge of subvers of the peace.

The prosecutor alleged that at various times the defendant had threatened the lives of distinguished members of his family. McGraw was taken to jail this morning by Constable Shrum.

#### PRESIDENT TAFT OFFERS NEW BILL.

Asks Congress to Provide Insular Tariff When Payne Measure Fasses.

#### S'AMPLIFIES PRESENT CODE.

American Shippers Need Clearer Laws Governing Their Traffic With Islands—Bill Drawn to Avoid Conflicts Under Pending Payne Bill.

United Press Telegram

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Demanding it of great importance for the welfare of the Philippines Islands that a tariff bill for the archipelago be passed at the same time as the pending Payne bill, President Taft sent a message to Congress today transmitting the proposed measure prepared under the direction of the Bureau of Insular Affairs.

The President's message is as follows:

"I transmit herewith a communication from the Secretary of War on closing one from the Chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs in which he transmitted the proposed tariff revision law for the Philippines."

This measure revises the present Philippine tariff simplicities it and makes it conform as nearly as possible to the regulations of the United States custom laws especially with respect to packing and packages. The present Philippine regulations have been cumbersome and difficult for American merchants and exporters to comply with. It is the purpose to meet new conditions which will arise under sections of the pending United States tariff bill which provides for certain irritations for free trade between the United States and the Islands.

It is drawn with a view to preserving the Islands as much of the customs revenue as possible and protect in a reasonable measure, the industries which now exist in the Islands. The bill now transmitted has been drawn by a board of tariff experts of which Insular Collector of Customs Col George R. Colton, was President. The board held many open meetings in Manila and conferred fully with representatives of all the business interests in the Philippines Islands. It is of great importance to the welfare of the Islands that the bill be passed at the same time as the Payne bill with special reference to the provisions for which it was prepared.

I respectfully recommend the bill be enacted at the present session of Congress as one incidental to and required by the passage of the Payne bill."

#### ROOSEVELT PLEASED OVER HUNTER'S OFFER

Delighted That F. C. Selous Will Join Party at Nairobi and Hunt.

United Press Telegram

ADLN, April 15.—Col Theodore Roosevelt, aboard the German steamer Adria, arrived here at 10 this morning. Roosevelt landed immediately after the steamer docked and received an enthusiastic welcome.

At Roosevelt's request the reception by the British authorities was wholly of an unofficial character.

Col Roosevelt is greatly elated over the promise given him by U. S. Selous the famous English big game hunter, to join him when he reaches Nairobi.

#### GAS EXPLOSION FATAL.

Three Men Killed in West Virginia Mine Accident

FAIRMONT, W. Va., April 15.—(Special)—As the result of a gas explosion this morning in No 2 shaft mine of the St. Georges Circle Coal & Iron Company at Farmington near here, three miners met death.

The dead are Zeno Copley, and three unidentified foreigners. The mine caught fire following the explosion but all the miners are accounted for.

#### Will Make Trial Run

Hurry Tusco and Joe Pugno, two Marathon aspirants, will make a trial run this evening. They will run to Everson and return. Tusco is entered as a representative of the Italian Patriotic Society.

#### Preparing to Move

Smith Pierce of South Connellsville is selling his effects today preparatory to moving his family to Texas where he and other South Connellsville people expect to locate.

#### Cloudy and Warmer.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, slightly warmer Friday, is the noon weather forecast.

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#### ST. LOUIS COUPLE DID NOT IDENTIFY WOMAN

Not Sure That Mrs. Boyle Is House Maid Who Disappeared With Values

United Press Telegram

MERCER, Pa., April 15.—Unable to positively identify Mrs. James H. Boyle in full suit charged with complicity in the kidnapping of "Billy" White, as their household "Chua" who disappeared in 1907 with a cabin containing \$6,000 worth of jewels.

Mr. Dyer said he had been unable to make a positive identification of the woman, there being slight differences Mrs. Dyer in a general way, agreed with her husband.

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#### THE COKE LEAD AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES

TO HOLD SMOKER

Company D Will Entertain Veteran Soldiers at Armory Tonight

Coke production in the Connellsville region fell off more than 1,000 tons last week. This would still more than 100 average. The coke industry is continuing the record of the old industry of this part of the country will be found in The Weekly Courier which is issued weekly it provides news of interest among which we may mention:

A discussion on the leading mining men of the region of the coke industry and substitutes for the existing acid.

Complicated tables showing the number of miles of roads in the valley of the Monongahela River.

You should subscribe for and read The Weekly Courier for the social news which it contains.

Ask Congress to Provide Insular Tariff When Payne Measure Fasses.

THREW HIMSELF IN FRONT OF WHEELS.

Mt. Pleasant Man Grieving Over Death of Friend Follows.

BOTH WERE INSTANTLY KILLED

Thomas Tarcar Caught By Fall of State in Standard Mine—Mike Sherman, Working in Next Room Commits Suicide

WT. PLEASANT, April 15.—Despondent over the fact that his lifelong friend Thomas Tarcar was killed by a fall of slate in the Standard mines where the two were working in adjoining rooms yesterday, Mike Sherman, skinned and with eight children knelt behind a telephone pole along the West Penn railway line and when a car approached from Scottdale this morning Sherman suddenly darted out, ran a short distance in front of the car and fell in front of the car, striking him to the horror of the crew and a number of passengers. Sherman's body was removed to Zimmerman's home, which yesterday had received the body of his friend. Tarcar had been a well known mining resident of Mt. Pleasant. Tarcar had lived for almost 20 years in Standard and Sherman for almost 10. Tarcar was aged 49 and had a wife and family. Tarcar was working in Standard shafts when about 8 o'clock a fall of slate hit him. His body was not recovered until afternoon. Sherman was waiting in the next room and was the only one about when his friend was killed. The event preyed upon his mind and he apparently became temporarily deranged and oddly enough cut his own life at about the same hour as his friend met death under the slate.

#### HOMELY LEATHER APRON SAVES LINDERMAYER'S LIFE

Otherwise Oilyope Man Would Have Been Disembodied When Circular Saw Flew to Pieces

Sp. cl. to The Courier

OFFOPIKE, Pa., April 15.—When a rapidly whirling circular saw went to pieces and the sharp edges of steel were projected like bullets through the air it was the homely leather apron that saved him from a horrible death Mr. Linderman was at the Ohioville Lumber Company in Ohio when an iron bar which he was carrying on his shoulder when at work was a bulky cowhide apron, nothing much for looks. When the saw, that is used to cut slabs, flew to pieces just as it turned one of these hunting pieces of timber, Mr. Linderman cutting through the heavy iron and inflicting a serious wound in his stomach. But for the protection of the apron the piece of steel would have gone clean through him.

The injured man was at once removed from the mill to the office of Dr. McClelland, where he was given an injection and Dr. J. H. White of Connellsville was telephoned for to act in consultation and he arrived on the 11th accompanied by Dr. C. W. Gallogher. The three physicians sewed up and dressed the wound and Mr. Linderman was taken to his home.

YOUGH RIVER REACHES FLOOD TIDE OF RISE

Record of 782 Feet Made Last Night Is Falling Slowly Now

The Youghiogheny river reached the highest point in the present rise yesterday and fell some degrees overnight. The highest record taken by the State representatives was 782 feet last evening. This morning the stream had dropped to an even seven feet.

Yesterday was cold and raw while the sun failed to shine and Indians early this morning were that to day would be of the sunny variety.

It was a pleasant surprise when Old Sol came out and shed his mellow rays over the community. The weather became some degrees warmer after his debut for the day. The mercury stood at 78 this morning one degree lower than last evening's record.

TAFT AT YALE

Gets Rousing Reception From Crowd at New Haven Depot

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 15.—(Special)—President William Howard Taft arrived here at 11:15 today to attend meeting of the Yale corporation.

In accordance with his request his arrival was not marked by any formal demonstration although he was greeted by a rousing cheer by the crowd of undergraduates and others at the door.

Was Jakes, Now Jacques

From Jakes to Jacques is not a very decided change but it is said that the legal fees necessary to bring about such a change in the name of the local dancing instructor cost him \$25. Before it has always been Prof. R. J. Jakes who conducted the dancing school here.

SEEDS SWEENEY MEN

Marty Hogan of Lancaster, Gives Cokers Two

Manager Marty Hogan of Lancaster having acted on a lineup for the opening of the Tri-State eligible season has begun to dispose of surplus material. Second baseman Lewis and Shortstop Horrell have been disposed of to Connellsville.

Purbaugh in Pittsburgh

G. A. Purbaugh of the West Penn went to Pittsburgh this morning to attend a conference in the accounting department of the system.

SEASON OPENED TODAY.

Trout Fishers Out After the Speckled Beauties of This State

"And it was that long and my foot slipped or else the hook broke and it got away that is what may be heard when the shades of night are falling fast."

The trout season was opened officially today and the fisherman were lining up to get a chance at the speckled fellows. Now there will be nothing talked of but how big the fish was that got away.

In mining practice and progress which makes for safety and economy the H. C. Frick Coke Company which stands at the head of this group of great fuel producers, and is the largest single interest in the Connellsville

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#### CONSERVATION OF HUMAN LIFE AND FUEL RESOURCES IS OBJECT.

Most Important Coal and Coke Meeting Ever Held In United States Is On at Scottdale Today.

#### FOREIGN METHODS THE TOPIC

Officials Who Visited European Coal Mining Districts Tell Their Co Workers What Was Learned on the Tour of Investigation

The latest gathering of operating coke officials, the men who are active in the production of that important fuel and whose life work is devoted to its development, began at 10 o'clock this morning in the Opera House at Scottdale. The meeting brings all the principal executives and none less than all the dozen coke and coal producing companies owned and controlled by the United States Steel Corporation and its object is to listen to the reports of the officials who spent a couple of months in the European coal fields to investigate the conditions of mining and manufacture there.

The reports of the officials who made the trip are being discussed. The principal aim of the Steel Corporation is to reduce costs, to the minimum and to secure a maximum percentage in the recovery of coal.

These officials visited Germany, France, England, Scotland and Wales.

The officials who were sent to the other side of the town of investigation entered the H. C. Frick Coke Company, the chief factor in the production of the United States Steel Corporation but their reports are being received today by officials and representatives of 12 different companies which are owned and controlled by the Corporation.

President Thomas Lynch of the H. C. Frick Coke Company arrived in Scottdale from his home in Greensburg this morning and is presiding over the meeting which is being attended by 100 officials from all parts of the binational coal producing fields of the Appalachian territory. The officials who made the trip to Europe and those who are still receiving the reports are being received today by officials and representatives of 12 different companies which are owned and controlled by the Corporation.

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Rev. John G. Slatyer of Pittsburgh is assisting Rev. C. M. Watson this week.

At the Christian Church just even Rev. John G. Slatyer assisting the pastor, C. M. Watson began a series of evangelistic services which are expected to do a great deal of good. The evangelist is pastor of the First Christian Church where he has one of the largest men's classes of the city.

His body was removed to Zimmerman's home by his friends. His strong clear-cut sermon and his every evidence of being a preacher of spiritual power.

The sermon last evening appealed to the hearts to know themselves to be children of God, that in thinking them worthy of the ministrations of God is every soul revealed for them. The Word of God in the coming of Jesus Christ into the world the later promised for the followers of the Master these plain evidences of the Truth interpreting and supplying all the needs of men.

One of the inspirations of the service last evening is appreciated by the visitor was the singing of the hymns illustrated by stereopticon. This service lasted 60 minutes and will be continued during the meetings. The subject of the sermon taught is What To Do First.

The gathering includes the street residents, engineers, mine foremen, bosses, master mechanics, rib bosses and other officials covering the mining and mechanical departments of the various companies in all their mines and plants.

The following companies, subsidiary to the United States Steel Corporation are represented by the above classes of employees at the meeting:

H. C. Frick Coke Company

Connellsville Coal & Iron Company

United States Steel & Coke Company

Monroe Coal & Coke Company

Republic-Connellsville Coke Company

National Mining Company

Clarion Coal & Coke Company

Sharon Coal & Coke Company

Monroe Coal & Coke Company

H. C. Frick Coke Company

These companies own and control about 500,000 acres of coal lands located in six different States and of this total 450,000 acres comprising the greater portion of the coal fields of Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Alabama are owned and controlled by the above companies. This coal will produce in round figures, about three billion tons of coke or seventy times as much as all the coke which was produced in the United States during the record breaking year of 1906. In other words, if the consumption of coke in the United States remained stationary at the amount produced during 1906, the fields owned by the Steel Corporation through the above subsidiaries would supply the entire country for seventy years.

The allied companies have a total of 120 mines with an aggregate capacity of 45,000,000 tons of coal per annum. They

## M'CAFFREY FILES NEW STATEMENT.

More Developments Come in  
Gold Mine Stock Suits  
Against Stahl.

### SAYS STAHL MISREPRESENTED

Plaintiff Avers That Stahl Wrote Him  
Plant Cost \$56,000 While Owners  
Only Paid \$9,500—He Wants \$5,000  
From Connellsville Man.

UNIONTOWN, April 15.—In the case of Charles K. McCaffrey against S. S. Stahl, claiming \$5,000, the plaintiff's amended statement has been filed. The Stahl suit was set for trial at the last term of court but continued and a rule granted on the defendant to show cause why a supplemental statement should not be allowed.

McCaffrey says his attention to the gold mining proposition was first called by a letter from Mr. Stahl, with circulars descriptive of the property, supplemented by a personal letter soliciting purchase of stock. Stahl is alleged to have written that "the plant as it stands today cost \$56,000, and was owned by F. J. Taylor." We have incorporated for \$50,000," McCaffrey says the letter also said the miners gave promise of making wealthy men out of all interested.

At the time of writing the letter Stahl was in California, where the property was located, and referred McCaffrey to Prof. Brooks, later principal of the Uniontown schools. McCaffrey soon purchased 2,000 shares for \$1,000. Later Stahl visited him and made a sale of an additional stock. McCaffrey says he subsequently discovered that the statements of Stahl were false, that the property was not as represented and that the owners paid only \$9,500 instead of \$56,000 as claimed. McCaffrey sued for \$5,000.

The first letter to McCaffrey from Stahl set forth that J. R. Davidson had purchased 5,000 shares, F. B. Hanlin in like amount and Joseph Madigan 10,000 shares, these being Connellsville men.

The case against Stahl will likely be tried at the June session of Civil court. It having been decided to hold civil court for one week, beginning the first Monday in June.

## IS REVIVING MEMORIES OF "PINAFORE" LONG AGO

Many Connellsville People Have Seen  
The Production and Know Why  
It Is Popular Still.

It was during an intermission at last night's rehearsal that Mrs. Charles E. Stout, who directs the music, leaned over and confided her surprise to a small coterie of critics that she had met so many people here in Connellsville who had sung in "Pinafore" many years ago. At least half a dozen have told her, she said, that they had participated in the opera. "I am not surprised at that," was Manager Fred Robins' comment. "Some 20 years ago 'Pinafore' was undoubtedly the most popular comic opera on the stage and it has not lost one whit of that fame."

Lately there has been a revival of the production and last fall the Metropolitan Opera Company opened its New York season by presenting it. Imagine Signor Scotti as "Dicky Deadeye," or Caruso as "Ralph Rackstraw." "Pinafore" is being rehearsed for a Pittsburgh appearance by one of the leading musical organizations of that city.

Director Charles E. Stout held a rehearsal in the theatre last evening and the entire score was gone through. The company is well up in its lines while the songs have reached a near perfect stage. There will be a second rehearsal tonight and one tomorrow morning. Tomorrow evening the curtain will rise on the completed production. Performances will be given tomorrow evening, Saturday afternoon and Saturday night.

### BAD CIRCULATION

**Cause:** Piles—External Treatment  
Won't Cure Them.

Free circulation of blood in the lower bowel will cure any case of piles. Piles may be due to constipation or any of a dozen other causes. Dr. Leondard's Hem-Roid, the only internal remedy for piles, opens a free circulation in the bowel, and cures the cause. 24 days' treatment is sold for \$1 at A. C. Clarke's and is guaranteed fully. Dr. Leonhard's Co. Station H, Buffalo, N. Y. Write for booklet.

### HAS LEASED THE FARM.

George Fritts has leased from the other heirs the large farm of his father, the late Daniel S. Fritts, just west of Scottdale and will conduct the farming operations for a term of years. Mr. Fritts has had the practical management of the farm nearly all his life and the place is in splendid condition and one of the best to be found anywhere.

### Warning.

Beware of persons traveling around telling clothing under my name. They are swindlers: I have no agents. Dave Cohen, Tailor.



The most highly refined and healthful of baking powders. Its constant use in almost every American household, its sales all over the world, attest its wonderful popularity and usefulness.

## In Social Circles.

Aprilary Held at Auditorium. The monthly meeting of the T. M. C. Auxiliary was held yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. The meeting was well attended, and among the speakers was Mrs. W. L. Neff, the retiring treasurer, read her report for the year ending April, 1908. The report was presented and approved by Mrs. E. B. Burgess and Mrs. Anna G. Coffey, who were present at yesterday's meeting. During the five years Mrs. Neff was in office \$4,277.71 was taken into the treasury, and the annual expenses \$17,138.40 leaving a balance of \$10,884.00 in the treasury. On retiring from her office Mrs. Neff gave a very neat address in which she thanked the ladies for their uniform kindness and help extended to her during the time of her service.

The new officers for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. Lloyd Johnston; Vice President, Mrs. M. Karr; Second Vice President, Mrs. Karr; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. M. C. Coffey; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. L. Neff; the retiring treasurer, read her report for the year ending April, 1908. The report was presented and approved by Mrs. E. B. Burgess and Mrs. Anna G. Coffey, who were present at yesterday's meeting. During the five years Mrs. Neff was in office \$4,277.71 was taken into the treasury, and the annual expenses \$17,138.40 leaving a balance of \$10,884.00 in the treasury. On retiring from her office Mrs. Neff gave a very neat address in which she thanked the ladies for their uniform kindness and help extended to her during the time of her service.

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THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 16, 1908.

A SEMI-DEMOCRATIC ORGAN'S  
PENSION HYPOCRISY.

The Semi-Democracy Unionists, General, substitutes a great indignation because "the Republican machine" of Pennsylvania has refused to pension the old soldiers, and it says a great many things which it has never before even endorsed, much less advocated, concerning the "right" of the old soldier to a State pension and the "outrage" of the Republican Legislature of the State in refusing to grant such pension.

The Genius still poses as a Democratic organ for the purpose of playing the game of factional politics, but its attitude has deceived few Democrats and no Republicans.

The Genius has not always been conducted under the present ownership and management, and it is perhaps not responsible for the views of its former owners and managers, but even within its present management it has shown a different turn. It has turned again like most other Democratic influences arrayed itself squarely against any pension for the Union soldier.

The State Soldiers' Pension bill was devised by J. Henry Cochran of Williamsport, a Democratic leader of the Senate not because he wanted to see the old soldiers get a State pension, nor because he ever cared whether they did or not, but only because he wanted to entice the Republican party.

We pointed this fact out two years ago when we introduced a similar bill with a similar purpose. Neither he nor his party care a particle whether the old soldier gets a State pension or any other pension; in fact, Democratic voices have been continually raised against any such pension at any time to any person, and not until the proposition seemed to have some political advantage attached did The Genius experience a change of heart.

Pensions are the peculiar care of the Federal Government. They have always been so and will so remain as long as the Republican party controls the Federal policies.

It is worthy of remembrance in the consideration of the hypocritical attitude of The Genius, that the Democratic party was never known to suggest pensions for Union soldiers.

The Republican party has been the one and only friend of the Union soldier throughout all the years since the Civil War, and every intelligent person will understand that the failure of the Legislature to pass the Soldiers' Pension bill was not due to any unfriendly feeling but to circumstances over which the Republican statesmen at Harrisburg had no control.

**THE QUAY STATUE PROPERLY PLACED**

The opposition of some of the Democratic and Independent statesmen at Harrisburg to the setting up of the statue of the late Senator Matthew Stanley Quay in the State Capitol was not only ungracious, but ugly and even brutal. It was the ignoble attempt of little men to split upon the grave of one who had mounted to a higher station in public life than they can ever hope to attain.

Colonel Quay was a politician, it is true, if you will, calculating, cunning, aggressive and successful, but he was also a soldier and a patriot, a leader of men and a statesman. His record at Washington shows that he served his State faithfully and fearlessly. Pennsylvania's interests were never more vigilantly and efficiently guarded than they were by Senator Quay.

The Beaver county statesman is dead. We should remember his virtues and forget his faults. We should honor him for the great and good things he did in life and forget the others. We are not all perfect.

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The Quay statue has been placed only where the judgment of time would have located it.

**THE UNSIGHTLY, UNPROFITABLE AND IMMORAL BILL BOARDS.**

The Uniontown Standard denounces the bill board nuisance in the following outspoken and emphatic terms:

"When Council sits about for objects of taxation whereby to increase the public revenue, it should not omit the bill boards of the borough. Indeed such persons might well be altogether omitted from the list of those whose duty it is to consider the public welfare. Little offense was done when the bill board posting was advised originally as a means of conveying information to the public, but now that the public has made bill posting almost ineffective, as a means to induce immoral, though apparently colored persons to do their bidding, any community might account it a good work to order down all bill boards."

We may be charged with self-interest in this. No doubt there would probably be much air given, but we are intent to justify a charge of selfishness. No greater would be the public benefit, particularly if the bill boards are to be used for advertising, to awaken the immoral instincts of the community. Many may say we are prudish in this, and laugh at us.

"Mebbe yes, mebbe no," as the Hunkie man puts it, but it is better to be a prude than a bawd.

There are few more ugly and suggestive things exposed to the public gaze than the literature of the bill board, and some of it demands suppression in the interest of public morals.

The best place to advertise is in the columns of a decent newspaper.

The county seems to have bought a few holes along with the Youghiogheny bridge.

Beginning tomorrow, the anglers will have an opportunity of demonstrating the "high" question of the hour. Was the trout family decimated by the drought last summer?

When the worms wriggle the trout bite.

Get out the fishing tackle.

About this season of the year some trout sports have files on them.

South Connellsville will be one of the centers of Higher Education this summer.

If the Yough maintained its present stage during the summer season here would probably be no objection to the Pennsylvania National Guards swooping up a portion of Indian creek.

Fayette county still contains some merchantable timber, but it is shame to sell it to the woodman who spares not the tree.

An official inspection of Connells' milk develops the fact which invites the suspicion that the Milk Trust has been watering its stock.

Dynamite caps are a dangerous fit for small girls.

The Fayette County Sunday School Association meets in Connellsville in June. This association has no string to it. It doesn't have to meet in Uniontown over year 'eent.

The Josue Counterfeiter was too joyful for some of our distinguished visitors who sought the freedom of the city.

A man is presumed to be innocent until he is proven guilty, but when he is found guilty a well-developed kit of burglar tools in his person the rule is slightly reversed.

We are told that Connellsville valuations remain about the same. We know of no reason why they should be higher.

The minister who mixes politics with his religion is passing the way to popular condemnation.

The County Auditors can't be accused of loafing on the job.

The Democratic judicial primary promises to have all the Marathons.

The B & O has its own mine inspector, but he is probably more of a triple traffic inspector than anything else.

The Unknown Standard wants to unload Castro upon us. It suggests that he be permitted to dock at Nod Island in order to give us a center of attraction. We have no ambition to become a port of call, but the Unknown does want that part of the County firmly fixed within the two Uniontown public buildings which are connected by the Bridge of Sighs.

Another railway pedestrian met the common fate this night. Why will people walk in the shadow of death?

The Chicago Buffingtons propose to invade the State Capitol at Springfield. Its English duchess know.

The Pittsburg Hump is again threatened with a whale.

We would respectfully suggest that the horticultural department and maintenance of the City Hall Square be placed in the able and economical hands of the inmates of theborough house who have ample time or unwilling to caught up cash fine.

There is a double as to the number of fish in the trout streams of Fayette county and vicinity, but there will be plenty of fishing anyway.

A West Newton lad ran away to Washington City. Perhaps he wanted to promote the cause of the Youghiogheny river improvement but in any event it is evident that he was seeking to improve his surroundings.

The Easter Bonnet. Washington Record. "Twas a little Easter bonnet, white and pink, and red, and blue, and yellow, and maybe just a basket full of fruit, But the features underneath it, Set up another to quite enwrap it, So the man dug up the price—and waited to boot.

Classified Ads  
One Cent a Word.

Wanted.

WANTED—COMFORTABLE TRUSS. We fit them. GILHAM & CO.

WANTED—A GRACIOUS, OLD SPRING SUIT TO ORDER FOR \$18 TO \$22. See our patient trouper client. It's permanent. DAVE CORBIN, Tailor, 122 N. Pittsburg street.

WANTED—25 MEN, BETWEEN THE AGES OF 18 AND 30, TO GO TO CAMP WITH COMPANY E AT Somersett this summer. A. V. ALLEN, 122 N. Pittsburg street.

FOR RENT—APARTMENT 6 ROOMS AND BATH. Apply J. N. RUTH Colonial National Bank.

FOR RENT—ONE 6-ROOM HOUSE, 811 Highland Avenue. Apply A. W. HOWARD, Pittsburg 70X.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, bath, gas, hot and cold water. Furniture free. \$10.00 RENT. KING'S STORE. Apply it.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—SADDLE HORSE FINS. single-footer Address, J. N. RUTH, Pittsburg, Pa. Itmarif

FOR SALE—FINE QUIET BAY horse, weight 1200. New top delivery.

wagon. Groceries, refrigerator. Toland springless series, electric coffee grinder. Innislie E. R. PARKER CO., Scotland, Pa.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE 60 FEET NO. 1 curbing 6x21x36 inches that we would like to get out of our yard to make room for other material. Will sell at a bargain. J. R. DAILEY, Manufacturer, 1200 W. Main Street, Connellsville, April 10.

FOR SALE—SINGER J. HAVE 200 acres of fine timber principally white pine, will cut one and a half million feet, lies two miles from M. & T. Railroad, will sell at a bargain. Write to E. M. LANZI, Longwood W. Va.

Notice to Contractors

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6-room house gas and water 7th street next Third Ward school building \$11.00

4-room house gas, hot and cold water, back to cloudy, owner pays water rent \$17.00

6-room house on Cedar avenue close to car line, \$17.00

6-room house 8 acres land East End \$14.00

10-room house 3 acres land East End \$22.00

4-room house bath, stable South Connellsville \$11.00

4-room house gas and water only \$8.00

Many bargains in houses and lots

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4-room house bath, stable South Connellsville \$11.00

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## SPOTLESS TOWN FOR SCOTTDALE.

The Board of Health Is Making Active Spring Campaign.

### MEETS WITH SOME OPPOSITION

May Have To Resort To Court To Bring Some to Engage in House Cleaning—Officer Goshorn Is Being Kept Busy.

SCOTTDALE, April 15.—The Board of Health has started a campaign of spring house cleaning activity that is stirring up the residents. Health Officer F. P. Goshorn is busy inspecting cellars and various outside premises that the Board believes need attention in the way of cleaning up to insure as healthful conditions as possible. In the majority of cases he has found an eagerness to follow the suggestions of the Board and whitewash and paint will be a popular thing in the cleaning up process. Some cellars have been found in a bad condition from decayed vegetable matter and water standing in them, and these will be cleaned up as soon as possible. In a few instances the Board of Health has come up against individuals who flatly refuse to contribute to the movement to make this a spotless town, and prefer for various reasons that they may advance to keep their premises in the unsanitary condition that the Board believes them to be in. It is possible that a resort to court may be necessary to bring these people to the point of cleaning up, a proceeding which in the State of Pennsylvania the Board of Health is always at an advantage decisions nearly always being in their favor and for cleaning up, whether the owners or tenants believe that it should be done or not.

Rev. Staines Lecture.

The Epiphany League's most recent entertainment will be the lecture by Rev. Arthur Staples, former President of Denver College, which will be given at the First Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow evening, the subject being "Our English Cousins." The League members say that this will be the best entertainment in their course, the nominal fee of 10 cents being charged simply to cover expenses. After the lecture there will be a social hour. There is promise of a very large audience present.

Score Board Is Out Again.

Joe and Sam Steiner draped off the big bulletin board that has rested in the rear of their tobacco store for these many months since the baseball season ended and brought it to the front last evening. The board was set up in the doorway of the store and on it was chalked the result of the opening day of the baseball season. A large and excited group surrounded the board and discussed baseball all evening.

Able to Be Out Again.

Nevin Shinnou, a lineman for the West Penn Electric Company, is able to be out again after being severely injured by falling on March 25. He was working on one of the iron arms from which is suspended an arc light, and his feet slipping from the arm he fell twelve feet to the ground.

Morgan Campbell Sick.

Morgan Campbell, one of the oldest and best known citizens of town, is confined to his home on Chestnut street by an attack of grippe.

Was Visiting Schools.

Secretary W. I. Cotton, of the East Huntingdon Township School Board is engaged in making a visit to the schools of the township. On Wednesday he visited four schools.

Of a Personal Nature.

Mrs. Charles H. Black is spending a few days in Uniontown visiting friends.

Philip McGuire of Greensburg was visiting friends in Scottdale yesterday.

Miss Loraine McGill of Dawson, was visiting friends here yesterday.

### CONSERVATION OF HUMAN LIFE.

(Continued from First Page.)  
field, is conceded to be the leader of the coal mining industry of the country. The purpose of sending a platoon of men to Europe was to keep fully abreast of mining conditions and practice not only in the United States but in all parts of the world. These conditions will form the topic of discussion at today's meeting with the view that all its employees in responsible positions may have the benefit of the results of their investigations.

More than ten years ago the Frick Company adopted in its mines the Connellsville region rescue apparatus which is now being tested and endorsed at the United States Geological Survey stations throughout the country in order to secure the introduction of such apparatus at the coal mines of the country generally.

For the past eight years the same company has experimented with all known safety explosives and has installed them in their mines. The Frick company has introduced the system of ventilating and safety shafts, in addition to the usual shafts in all of its deep mines, having drilled such



## Spring Millinery.

We are showing the new, exclusive styles in Ladies' Spring Hats. Our hats are trimmed by the best milliners from the places where styles are made. Every hat has that "undefinable touch," that denotes exclusiveness. Then, best of all, the prices are right. A swell Spring hat is within reach of all. Come in and see the dainty creations for

**\$3.49, \$3.99 and \$4.99**

Schmitz'  
Merit Soap  
9 for 25c

Wall Paper  
Carpets

Garden or  
Flower Seeds  
3 Pkgs. 5c

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Neat attractive patterns in Wall Paper, for kitchens, halls, bedrooms and living rooms; a beautiful assortment. The bolt, 6c, 4c and.....

6c  
We offer 25 extra fine attractive patterns in up to date Wall Paper, with wide or narrow borders, suitable for every room in the house. The bolt, 6c, 4c and.....

6c  
We offer 7 extra beautiful varnished gold patterns for parlors and best rooms, regular 25c value, the bolt, 8c.....

8c  
Well independent patterns in Wall Paper for fancy two-thirds and panel work, the finest in the land. The bolt, 6c, 4c and.....

6c  
Ask to see our new Brussels Drapery, 8c.....

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Special.

We have a full line of room decorations, paper blenders, paints and anything else you may want for papering the home.

25c

from their working places. All the plants which require shafts that have been recently built by the company have concrete-lined shafts, concrete and brick pump houses and concrete stables in the mines.

The company is a great believer in safety lamps and in plenty of air, and under its rules it provides 500 cubic feet of air per minute, for each man in the mine. That amount of air being required to pass into the workings at the general rates which are in force at all the mines of the company. The first rule of the Frick coal follows:

Strict compliance with the mining laws of the State of Pennsylvania shall be the duty of each and every employee, at all times and under all circumstances, and no one will be allowed to enter the mines without the written permission of the superintendent, safety foreman and all others exercising authority, or charged with the direction of operations in every department, quantity, position, second, end, end of working, etc.

In addition to the above, the company has pursued a uniform policy of introducing and using compressed air instead of electricity as power in its mines, thus doing away with the danger from explosions from the sparking of electric lines and electrically-driven machinery. The company employs shot-blasters who are paid by the company. In some sections the miners are required to stand the extra expense of the shot-blasters.

Blasting in all gaseous mines is done between shifts. Rib men are employed to supervise the drawing of the pillars and men are visited in their working places two and three times each day. Separate travelling ways are provided for the men and in some instances they are converted to and

Rouge Croix  
OLIVE OIL  
Pint  
GRAHAM & CO. 65c

## After Easter Sale

Every year after Easter we announce a sale of useful goods and the requirements of the people this year as well will afford every family in Greater Connellsville and vicinity to purchase Spring Goods at this sale at 25 per cent less than in other stores. It is a habit with us to offer cut prices after holidays. There are a great many people who look to us to offer reductions. We are always ready to be mutual with our friends and customers.

**Sale Starts Wednesday and Lasts Until Saturday**

### After Easter Ladies' Suits Go Lower

We find 100 Suits that we include in this sale and make two prices out of the whole lot.

All \$25.00 and \$22.50 for

**\$16.90**

All \$20.00 and \$18.50 for

**\$12.80**

There are a great many women who buy their suits from us after Easter in order to profit by the reductions we offer. The suits are made of fine quality Serges, Prunella, English Checks, Invisible and Pin same with folds; coat 36 to 40 inches long; full silk and satin lined; self-trimmed and jet buttons.



### Off Prices on Dress Goods

"Any store can no wad then pick up a few pieces of Dress Goods, undesirable and off color, and offer them at lower prices, but this is not the case here. We quote only this season's fabrics."

27 inch Messalines and Shawlings all the stylish shades quoted above, were \$1.25. After-Easter Sale at..... 98c

36 in. Plaid and Striped Dress Goods, were 35c. After-Easter Sale at..... 18c

44 in. Dress Goods, Striped, Plaids and Plain Serges and Patterns, were 75c. After-Easter Sale at..... 48c

36 in. Finest Percales, were 15c and 12½c. After-Easter Sale at..... 10c

36 in. White Madras Waistbands, were 25c, 20c and 18c. After-Easter Sale at..... 10c

36 in. Blended Muslins, were 12c. After-Easter Sale at..... 7c

27 in. Plaid and Striped Ginghams, After-Easter Sale at..... 5c

Shirtings, best fabrics, plaids, stripes and figures, were 5c and 6c. After-Easter Sale at..... 5c

27 in. Fancy Foulard Silks, were \$1.00. After-Easter Sale at..... 72c

### Knee Trousers CLOTHING

"Sam Peck" Make

and many other makes as well. We show the finest Boys' Suits in this neighborhood; clothing you won't find elsewhere to beat it for style and make. They are guaranteed by the Sam Peck Company and by us. If wrong in any way bring it back and get another suit free of cost. They are made in double breasted, plain and kinkeen pants, Norfolks and sailors.

Easter Sale Price,

**98c**

**WE TRIM YOUR HAT FREE** this week if you buy the trimming here.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats from..... \$2.98 to \$20.00

Children's Trimmed Hats from..... 50c to \$6.00

Beautiful assortment of Flowers, Wings and Ostrich Plumes at very popular prices.

Prices range

**\$5.00 to \$10.00**

### Thousands of Pairs of Shoes

Displayed on our tables in our shoe department. You are sure to find your size and your children's sizes at a grand saving on each pair. They are snappy, smart shoes and oxfords in tan and black; lace button and blucher; in patent leathers; vic kids and gun metal.

\$2.50 Men's Dress Shoes in Gun Metal Bluchers at..... \$1.65

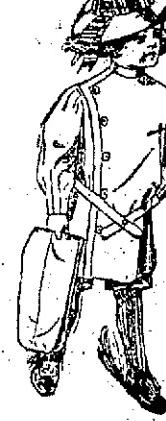
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\$2.50 Ladies' Dress Shoes in Gun Metal and Tan. Vic Kid, Button, Bluchers and Lace at..... \$1.75

\$1.75 Boys' Solid Leather Shoes in Lace and Blucher, at..... \$1.18

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but buy your groceries where you get the best for the least money. You save 10 to 25 per cent at our store, get first class groceries, one price to all and the same price every day in the week. No "Special" sale days here. Your money buys as much one day as another. Deal with us and see what you will save in a short time.

25 lbs. Granulated Sugar ..... \$1.30

Majestic Hams, lb. ..... 13½c

"S. & S." or Zollar Hams 12½c

California Hams ..... 9c

3 lbs. Choice Mackrel ..... 25c

1 qt. Jos. Oliver's ..... 30c

Lima Beans, quart ..... 10c

3 qt. Soup Beans ..... 25c

3 qts. Onion Sets ..... 25c

1 can Red Salmon ..... 10c

2 large cans Pineapple ..... 25c

7 10c-rolls Toilet Paper ..... 50c

6 cans Milk ..... 25c

3 cans with Paper Cleaner ..... 25c

3 lbs. Fancy Rice ..... 25c

3 boxes Matched ..... 10c

5 lbs. Soap ..... 25c

50 lbs. AXA Flour ..... \$1.60

4 lbs. Prunes ..... 25c

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3 cans Punchy Tomatoes ..... 25c

3 cans Choke Corn ..... 25c

3 cans String Beans ..... 25c

3 cans Good Peas ..... 25c

3 large bottles Anonnia ..... 25c

3 large bottles Baking Soda ..... 25c

7 tins Laundry Soap ..... 25c

4 lbs. Sod. Crackers ..... 25c

4 lbs. Coffee Cakes ..... 25c

3 pkgs. Premier Tapioca ..... 25c

4 lbs. Dutch Cleanser ..... 25c

Strawberries every Friday and Saturday. Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Lettuce, Celery and Green Stuff. Every sack AXA FLOUR is guaranteed or money refunded.

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## MOTLEY ARRAY FACES BURGESS.

Hearing in Police Court This Morning Was a Busy One.

### DEMENTED NEGRO ARRESTED

He Furnishes Amusement For Court. Jack Hahn's Explanations Cut Short When Burgess Gives Him 48 Hours. Other Victims.

Cole Ernest Jackson, demented negro, was the principal character at an interesting session of police court this morning. Cole Ernest was arrested yesterday on information of Mr. and Mrs. Kuntz of Swantown, who say he came to their house, asking for something to eat, and then made himself at home by refusing to leave.

"What did you do at that house?" asked Burgess Evans.

"Well, the folks, who I would know if I could see their faces, gave me something to eat and then held me a conversation of talk," explained Cole Ernest.

"What did they talk to you about?"

"Why, some kind of pleasant views."

Cole Edward came into court carrying an umbrella under one arm and a bundle of overalls under the other. He spoke deliberately and gave careful weight to each sentence, which was enunciated in a distinct and careful manner. He was remanded to the cells for a further investigation.

"Good morning, Burgess," said Jack Hahn as he gave a military salute. Jack started to tell his troubles but he was interrupted. He murmured something about "Poor Old Jack," when the time up he got 48 hours. When his time is up he will be shipped away to the Soldier's Home at Dayton. He has been headed for it. He is booked to leave tomorrow and will probably have an escort to the train.

James Smith of Leisenring, staggered toward the court and took a seat on the big basket. He remained there for the long space of three seconds, when Officer Thomas McDonald added him to a startling posture by grabbing him by the ear. James kept his back towards the audience throughout his sentence and entered no defense to the 12-hour sentence imposed.

Thomas Fitzgerald and John Craine of Pittsburgh were arrested as drunk and suspicious. They were given six hours. Both Peter Giudice and Andy Koehler of Leisenring said, "No pay money," when questioned and took 48 hours reluctantly. Lawrence Kerns of Wilkes-Barre, admitted getting a little "loosey" yesterday.

"You know, your Honor," he explained, "I fellow's a little simple when he's drunk."

"Yes, anyone is simple who comes here for a night lodgings," agreed the Burgess, as he sent Lawrence back to the cells for 18 hours.

### A. O. TINTSMAN SUES FOR SHARE OF PROFITS

Man Well Known in Coke Region Goes After J. L. Lewis.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., April 15.—In order to get an alleged full share of the profits from the sale of the family interest in the Federal Coal Company to the New England Coal & Coke Company, A. O. Tintsmann & Company of Pittsburgh, have brought suit in the local courts against J. L. Lewis, late of Federal, but who returned to his former home in Wisconsin.

Although the bill of particulars has not yet been filed, it appears that when the interests of the late President Connelly were sold to the Boston concern, the A. O. Tintsmann Company of Pittsburgh, and Lewis, as agent, split the amount of the sale was \$1,500,000. It is alleged by the plaintiff that there had not been a fair division of this.

For a number of years Mr. Lewis was a prominent figure in the management of the Federal mine where his son Fred L. Lewis was the superintendent. At the time the controlling stock was purchased by the Boston people it was rumored that the service of Superintendent Lewis would be dispensed with. On April first the change in the management was made and Messrs. J. L. and Fred Lewis returned to their former home in Wisconsin.

Will Not Be Delayed.

Mathias Autl, who was injured at Leisenring No. 1 yesterday was removed from the Cottage State hospital where he was taken and to his home last night, where he is getting along well. A man who said that he was Mr. Autl's son telephoned to The Courier this morning that several contracts that Mr. Autl has on hand for stone work will not be delayed on account of Mr. Autl being hurt.

Unknown Man Buried.

The body of the unknown man killed near Ohio City by a train some days ago was buried in Chestnut Hill cemetery yesterday by Funeral Director J. E. Sims.

Have you tried our classified ads? Only one cent a word.

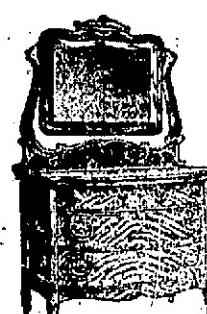
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## Special Sale for Ten Days With Furniture Prices Greatly Cut.

For the next Ten Days this store will be the center of attraction for furniture buyers in this section. Prices have been cut almost in half for this special occasion, the reductions being found in every department. If you know of a single article you want, come here first and look over these special attractions. With house-cleaning time at hand you will want many new things. This sale comes just at the right time, both for convenience and money saving. Note some of the special bargains here:



OAK DRESSERS \$9.85



The Improved Teddy Car \$8.50



KITCHEN CABINETS Special at \$7.25

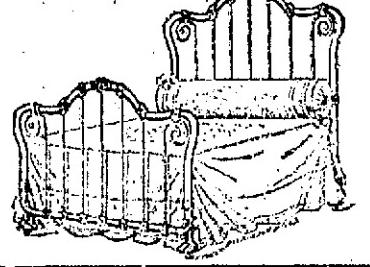


CHIFFONIERS \$4.75

This is one of our big bargains. Large golden oak dresser with two large and two small drawers and large French plate mirror. Former price was \$15.

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# DOLLY of the CIRCUS

BY MARGARET MAYO

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"Where then dost will I die?" Her arms went out blindly.

"Oh, you won't send me away, will you?" she sobbed. "I don't want to learn anything else just—except—from you." She covered her face and slipped a little broken heap at his feet.

In an instant the pastor's strong arms were about her; his stalwart body was supporting her. "You shan't go away. I won't let you—if I won't! Do you hear me, Polly? I won't!"

Her breath was warm against his cheek. He could feel her tears, her arms about him, as she clung to him helplessly, sobbing and quivering in the shelter of his strong embrace. "You are never going to leave me—never!"

A new purpose had come into his life, the realization of a new necessity, and he knew that the fight which he must henceforth make for this child was the same that he must make for himself.

**CHAPTER XL.**

"It's 'oin' into de Sunday school room to take off dat 're widow's dushis' touches," said Mandy as she came down the steps.

"All right," called Douglas. "Take these with you. Perhaps they may help." He gathered up the garments which Polly had left on the ground. His eyes were shining. He looked younger than Mandy had ever seen him.

Polly had turned her back at the sound of Mandy's voice and crossed to the elm tree, drying her fears of happiness and trying to control her newly awakened emotions. Douglas felt intuitively that she needed this moment for recovery, so he plied the leaves and garlands high in Mandy's arms, then ran into the house with the light step of a boy.

"I got the set-aft-settin' room all tidied up," said Mandy as she shot a sly glance at Polly.

"That's good," Polly answered, facing Mandy at last and dimpling and blushing merrily.

"Mes' de sociable 'folks will mos'

"The big one."

"You know—do one what bring you?"

"You don't mean—" Polly's question was answered by Jim himself, who had followed Hasty quickly through the gate. Their arms were instantly about each other. Jim forgot Hasty and every one in the world except Polly, and neither of them noticed the horrified Miss Perkins and the Widow Willoughby, who had been crowding the yard on their way from the Sunday school room with Julia.

"You're just as big as ever," said Polly when she could let go of Jim long enough to look at him. "You haven't changed a bit."

"You've changed enough for both of us." He looked at the unfamiliar long skirts and the new way of doing her hair. "You're bigger, Polly, more grown-up like."

"Oh, Jim!" she answered tenderly at the new brown suit, the rather startling tie and the neat little pony in Jim's buttonhole.

"The fellows said I'd have to stick up a bit if I was a-comin' to see you, so as not to make you ashamed of me. Do you like 'em?" he asked, looking down approvingly at his new brown clothes.

"Very much." For the first time Jim noticed the unfamiliar manner of her speech. He began to feel self conscious. A year ago she would have said "You bet!" He looked at her awkwardly. She hurried out: "Hasty told me you were showin' in Wakefield. I know you come to see me. How's Barker and all the boys?" She stopped with a catch in her throat and added more slowly, "I suppose everything's different now that Tobe's gone."

"He'd a' liked to seen you afore he cashed in," Jim answered, "but maybe it was just as well he didn't. You'd hardly a' known him toward the last, he got no thin' in 'em, peaked like. He wasn't the same after we lost you—nobody was, not even Hinko."

"Have you still got Bingo?" she asked, through her tears.

"Yep, we a'nt got him," drawled Jim. "But he a'nt much good no more."

"None of the other' elders can get used to you mean that you a'nt never contrabuck!"

I lie in my little room up there at night"—she glanced toward the window above them—"and everything is peaceful and still. I think how it used to be in the old days, the awful noise and the rush of it all, the cheerless wagons, the mob in the tent, the clug with its blazing lights, the whirling round and round on Bingo and the hoofs, always the hoop, till my head got dizzy, and my eyes all dim, and then the hurry after the show, and the heat and the dust or the mud and the rain, and the rumble of the wheels in the plains at night, and the shrieks of the animals, and then the parade, the awful, awful parade, and I ridig through the streets in tights. Jim-right!" She covered her face to shut out the memory. "I couldn't go back to it, Jim! I just couldn't!" She turned away, her face still hidden in her hands. He looked at her a long while in silence.

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Charcoal, one-half ounce, Elmer one ounce, Alcohol seven ounces. Mix Shake well and apply to the face night and morning allowing it to remain at least ten minutes the longer, the quicker results you will have. In extreme cases apply four or five times daily.

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The lake seamen's union, the marine



HER ARMS WENT OUT BLINDLY.

to his gait like you was. There ain't nobody with the show what can touch you ridin'; there never will be. Say, maybe you think Barker won't let you, but when he sees you comin' back."

Jim was jubilant now, and he let out Little yell of his own at the mere thought of her return. He was too excited to notice the look on Polly's face. "Polly had a notion before he died that you was never a-comin' back, but I told him I'd change all that once I seen you, an' when Barker sent me over here today to look arter the advertizin' he said he guessed you'd had all you wanted of church folks. 'Yes' you bring her along to Wakefield," he said, "an' tell her that her place is waitin' for her; an' I will too!" He turned upon Polly with sudden decision. "Why, I feel jes' like pokin' you up in my arms an' carryin' you right off now."

"Wait, Jim!" She put one tiny hand on his arm to restrain him.

"I don't mean—not today—maybe," he stammered uncertainly, "but we'll be back here a-shovin' next month."

"Don't look at me now," Polly answered as the doglike eyes searched her face, "because I have to say somethin' important on my mind."

"It's de big one from de circus," he whispered excitedly.

800 Miners on Strike.

Johnstown, Pa., April 15.—Alleging that the company officials refused to sign the white scale, more than 800 union miners employed by the Big Bend Coal company at Twin Rocks, Cambria county, are on strike. None of the several collieries is in operation.

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## PATTEN SAYS WHEAT'S SCARCE.

But the King of Market Denies Charge of Cornering.

### IS MERELY BUYER AND SELLER

Chicago Man Who Has Made Millions in the Last Few Days in Wheat Declares World's Supply is Low—Early Crop Following Shortage.

Chicago, April 15.—The appeal of Pittsburgh bakers to Secretary of State Knox to take steps to end manipulation of wheat excited comment by James A. Patten of Chicago, popularly alleged to control the present wheat market.

"In the first place," said Mr. Patten, "I don't control the market. My firm at no time has run over 10,000,000 bushels, which have preached the gospel of higher wheat because I saw what was coming. I saw it first, I believe, but when it comes to controlling the market there are two or three hundred other men who have bought who have something to say about that."

"I am a grain trader. I bought when the market looked cheap as did others who accepted my view, and I am going to sell at a profit if I can. I have already sold a great deal. I have more to sell, and when anybody offers me a proper price I will sell more. I sold some this morning, cash stuff, at \$1.42. There is no corner, no manipulation. Others who bought early sell as demand develops."

Mr. Patten then diagnosed the situation as he understands it.

"For three or four years this bus has been coming and I saw it. At the end of each crop bins were empty everywhere. With increasing population here and abroad it was obvious that sooner or later the crop of one year would be exhausted before a new crop was at hand. Last fall, if not earlier, I saw it coming. I bought wheat and my friends did likewise. The great unthinking public here, and in Europe would not, or could not, see what was coming. Liverpool would not buy months ago, thinking the prices of that day too high. Now Europe wants 35,000,000 bushels. The harvest was early last year. They have been trying to cover thirteen months instead of the usual twelve, and they can't do it. We need wheat for the mills right here in Chicago now."

"Here's another point. If we had not bought wheat—I mean myself and others—the price would be higher here than it is. Europe would have taken it, for the foreigners finally recognized the weakness of their position, and where would the domestic supply have come from? We would have been compelled to buy from the very Europeans we sold to. I regard it as fortunate that it was Americans who first diagnosed crop conditions and took advantage of it."

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at Hotel Adwur

in Columbus.

Daytona, O., April 15.—The Roy Sam-

uel Scott, age ninety, the first Prohi-

bition candidate for governor of Ohio

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**BASEBALL.****BASEBALL RESULTS**

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
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Caminitz and Gibson; Prouse and  
McLean.  
At Chicago— R HE  
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Philadelphia..... 300011000-10 0 0  
Ferguson, Matten and Smith; Co-  
valek, Moren and Duda.  
Standing of the Clubs.

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Games Today.  
Brooklyn at New York.  
Philadelphia at Boston.  
St. Louis at Chicago.  
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
Washington-New York, rain.  
Boston-Philadelphia, rain.

At Detroit— R HE  
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Chicago..... 00000000-0 1 2  
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At St. Louis— R HE  
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Games Today.  
Chicago at Detroit.  
Cleveland at St. Louis.  
Boston at Philadelphia.  
New York at Washington.

**1 CHANCE IN 5 TO LIVE**

Catcher Powers of Philadelphia Amer-  
icans Operated on.

Philadelphia, April 15.—Catcher  
Powers, one of the most popular play-  
ers on the Philadelphia American  
league baseball team, was operated on  
for intubated intestine. A section of  
the intestine was removed and the pa-  
tient is said to be doing well. His in-  
tense is said to have been caused by a  
sandwich which he ate during a game.

A surgeon, describing the operation,  
said the Powers has about one chance  
in five of living. Mrs. Powers, sum-  
moned from her home in Jefferson-  
ville, Pa., gave her consent to the op-  
eration. More than a foot of the in-  
testines were removed.

**GOTH BEATS MAHMOUT.**

American Retains the Wrestling  
Championship Easly.

Chicago, April 15.—Frank Goch of  
Humboldt, Ia., retained the world's  
wrestling championship by defeating  
Yusuf Ketchel of Bulgaria in  
straight falls in a fast and furious  
match. The Bulgarian was as a child  
in the hands of the American.

Goch won both falls with crotch  
and half-Nelson holds in 8 minutes  
and in 9 minutes, 10 seconds. The vic-  
tory of the champion is all the more  
notable inasmuch as he did not use  
his famous toe hold in bringing about  
the downfall of the powerful foreigner,  
whose shoulders had not hitherto  
been put to the mat in America.  
Goch was able to get almost any hold  
he desired.

The match was fast and exciting  
from the time the men entered the  
ring. It was full of action, snap, dash  
and vim from start to finish. It was  
so short that there was not a single  
idle moment during the two falls.

**WON'T FIGHT 45 ROUNDS**

But Johnson Signs Up With Ketchel  
For Twenty.

New York, April 15.—Jack Johnson  
and Stanley Ketchel have been  
matched to box twenty rounds for the  
heavyweight championship of the  
world at the Colosseum Athletic club on  
Oct. 12, 1909. The fighters are to re-  
ceive 50 per cent of the gross receipts  
to be divided, 65 per cent to the win-  
ner and 35 per cent to the loser. Both  
Ketchel and Johnson signed the arti-  
cles.

Ketchel was anxious to fight forty  
five rounds, but Johnson demurred,  
saying that twenty rounds would suffice  
to show what was the better man. Coffroth argued for nearly four  
hours trying to get Johnson to agree  
to a longer contest, but the champion  
was obdurate and finally had his way.  
Ketchel said he weighed 175 pounds  
present and would enter the ring at  
180 pounds.

**UNIQUE SPORTING EVENT**

Western Athletes Will Race to the Top  
of a 6,000 Foot Mountain.

Pasadena, Cal., April 16.—Crack ath-  
letes from all over the west are en-  
tered in today's race to the top of  
Mount Wilson, north of this city. The  
unique character of the event and its

**You Can't Clean House Without these Things**

Our Annual House-Cleaning Sale Brings the Prices Down to the Lowest Possible Notch.

Every one of the items listed here, you'll need when the semi-annual house-cleaning comes. It'll soon be here. Some are in the midst of it now, and it's a big satisfaction to save money on this class of wares, for none of us like to spend money on necessities. Every one of these things you must have. Every one of them is now priced at a goodly saving to you. Before you pull a tack or move a chair make out a list of these prices will save you. This sale grows bigger every year. This year we've made preparations to meet the needs of every housewife in Connellsville, another important feature of decided interest to you, is that only "first quality" merchandise placed in these splendid Basement stocks of ours.

Hand Scouring Soap ..... 25c	Metal Polish ..... 10c	Stop Boulders ..... 10c	25 ft. Drapery Curtain Stretchers \$1.00	10 Carpet Beaters at ..... Se
25c Galvanized Wash Tubs at 45c	25c can ..... 10c	4 ft. Ladders at ..... 8c	2100 No. 1000 Scraper ..... 15c	24 oz. Mop at ..... 10c
Wooden Wash Tubs ..... 35c	25c can ..... 10c	5 ft. Ladders at ..... 10c	Covered Sheets and Bedding Boards	32 oz. Mop at ..... 10c
25c Clothes Brushes, of whale, white	25c	6 ft. Ladders at ..... 12c	10c value, at ..... 12c	Hayward Cutlery 25c
25c X. W. Wall Paper Cleaner ..... 25c	25c	7 ft. Ladders at ..... 15c	Krystal Soil-Off, 10c cans at ..... 8c	consisting of cups and saucers, din-
25c Calico Swirls Price 50c	25c	8 ft. Ladders at ..... 18c	Chi-namel, 12 pt. cans at ..... 25c	ner plates, decorative plates, fruit saucers;
25c Window Shades, olive green 18c	25c	90c Lamb's Wool Duster at ..... 75c	1 pt. cans at ..... 40c	dainty spray decoration; every piece
25c Window Shades, dark green 18c	25c	150 Scrub Brushes ..... 10c	1 pt. cans at ..... 40c	stamped "Hayward."
25c Curtains, complete with	25c	150 Cleaning Brushes ..... 10c	1/2 gal. cans at ..... 1.25	
fixtures ..... 25c	25c	250 Paint Brushes ..... 10c	1 gal. cans at ..... 2.00	
25c The Curtain Poles at ..... 25c	25c	300 Kalsomine Brushes ..... 38c		

**WRIGHT-METZLER Co.**

Two rarely encountered in a team  
of this sort.

Frances Wood will whoop things up  
while he manipulates his wooden  
hoops. The dexterous handling of  
these little spheres by Mr. Wood is an  
artistic performance and one which is  
sure to amuse those who have not wit-  
nessed it before.

Lillian Murtha, an eccentric conve-  
niene, will entertain with grotesque  
characterizations, songs, dances, and  
comedy monologue. She is, by no  
means alone in this respect in the pro-  
gram. There are, for example, Morris  
and Daly, a sketch team who will  
introduce polite Celtic comedy. The  
Irish character is represented by  
those coquettish to a caricature,  
but the very soul of humor. With  
their rich Ciceronian brogues, natural  
wit and a repertoire that rarely sparkles,  
Morris and Daly have been ever favor-  
ite in the best vaudeville shows.

An entire change of bill will take  
place on Thursday, the show for the  
last three days will be headed by Car-  
melo's Living Statutes and Pictures.  
These life-like reproductions of the  
world's great masterpieces of art, stat-  
uary and painting, will be represented  
by living art models from the studios  
of Paris and men and women trained  
to pose for the great artists. Splendid  
novel effects will be used to add realism  
to the living statues and the drapery  
are a delicate investment will be in  
keeping with high art.

Poepel Goodman, the ventriloquist,  
will introduce his wooden headed family.  
This does not mean that Mr.  
Goodman's family are blockheads, for  
they are a very bright set of people.  
The dialogue between Mr. Goodman  
and his lay figures is not only funny  
but wholly now and the man has such  
perfect control over his lips and  
throat muscles that one may place the  
most powerful glass on him and yet  
not detect the slightest movement.

Bernard and Maria will create a di-  
version by introducing a talking  
sketch with songs and dances appro-  
priately interlaced. They are a pair  
of young and gifted vaudveillians

**NO ONE KNEW  
WHAT CAUSED IT.**

No one could have told you what lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, gout and rheumatism twenty-five years ago, and it seems a large number do not know yet, for recently a popular weekly publication came out with an article by a well known and learned specialist, who frankly stated that rheumatism was so elusive that one could not fathom it. He was mistaken in saying that no one could do this, for he neglected to remember "Rheumatism" in his reckoning. Graham & Company's Drug Store are free to admit that Rheumatism has done more for rheumatism than anything they have ever handled, and they have watched the effect ofnumeroso modifications and, as they well know, naturally their view would be unbiased.

There is only one reason for Rheu-  
matism's success, and that is that it  
does the business. It acts quickly and  
effectively and in direct contradiction  
to the eminent gentleman's state-  
ments above. Abenmaline is a quick  
and certain relief for rheumatism  
and, with a versatility that promises to  
bring them close up among the leaders  
in the large vaudeville theatres of Amer-  
ica.

The Edwards will do an eccentric  
singing and dancing turn. Elsie  
Jayne will entertain with buck and  
wing dances.

A new series of moving pictures will  
follow the list of vaudeville turns.

**Matchless Exposition and Sale  
of Spring and Summer Goods  
at Union Supply Co. Stores.**

We want everybody to come and see our great stocks, feel privi-  
leged to come and go at will, seek and sow, look and learn. There are  
many styles in Union Supply Company stores that you cannot get else-  
where, particularly Ladies', Misses' and Children's Wear, and you will  
find prices quoted that will make it an object for you to buy. Our  
low prices and the superior character of merchandise will appeal to  
you. Every Union Supply Company store is offering the same kind  
of bargains, the same low prices. Every Union Supply Company store  
is giving the trade the same courteous treatment.

It is a good time to furnish your house. Spring time is moving  
time. It is the time we are prepared for a large business in furniture  
of all descriptions—carpets, linoleums, oil cloths and other house fur-  
nishings, large and varied stocks of queensware and glassware.

If you are contemplating buying any of these lines it is to your  
own interest to visit a Union Supply Company store. All goods pur-  
chased are delivered free.

**UNION SUPPLY COMPANY.**

63 DEPARTMENT STORES

Located in Westmoreland, Fayette, Allegheny Co.'s.

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10c  
TEN CENTS  
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Best Vaudeville and Moving Pictures in the City. Direct From  
the Harris Circuit. 2 Great Shows.

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The Russian Hercules Whose Strength Exceeds That of Any  
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**Living Statues and Pictures**

Posed by men and women models from the studios of Paris.  
Reproductions in life of world's masterpieces of art.

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Artistic Ventriloquist

Elsie Jayne  
Juvenile Buck and Wing-Dancer

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